

THE WEATHER.  
Generally fair and warmer to-  
night and Thursday.

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PADUCAH, KY., WEDNESDAY EVENING, MAY 16, 1906.

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## STRIKERS SHOOT AT NEGRO WORKERS

Serious Trouble With Brick-  
makers Near Albany, N. Y.

Two More Bodies Removed From  
Under Debris in Shenandoah  
City Colliery Today.

ENGINEER AND BRAKEMAN DIE

Albany, N. Y., May 16.—The brick-  
makers' strike involving nearly all  
yards between Albany and Kingston  
reached a crisis today when 250  
Italian union men opened fire on  
500 non-union negro workers in the  
yards of Sutton & Suddery. The  
Tenth battalion of national guards  
was ordered to hold itself in readi-  
ness to be called.

Trouble began early when the  
strikers, unable to dissuade the ne-  
groes from going to work, took a  
position commanding the yards on a  
neighboring bluff. They opened fire.  
Owing to the distance the bullets had  
little effect. The non-union men re-  
turned the fire. Latest reports say  
one man was injured. A negro was  
shot in the side.

Two Trampmen Killed.  
Peru, Ind., May 16.—Engineer  
Wolfe and brakeman Gowman, were  
killed in a wreck on the Chicago-  
Cincinnati & Louisville railroad at  
Powerton this morning. The en-  
gine turned over and the victims were  
buried in the wreckage. The cause  
is unknown.

Two More Bodies.  
Mahanoy City, Pa., May 16.—The  
bodies of Walter and Joseph Win-  
try, brothers, were recovered from  
under tons of coal at the Shenandoah  
City colliery today. This makes the  
death list of yesterday's explosion  
seven.

## PRECARIOUS

CONDITION OF CITY WEAVER  
JOHNSTON AT HIS HOME.

Fell Unconscious From His Chair  
Today—Mr. George Phillips  
Sinking.

Mr. M. W. Johnston, city weaver,  
who has been ill for several weeks  
following his return from Dawson  
Springs, suffered a relapse this morn-  
ing about 9:30 o'clock and his con-  
dition is considered precarious.

He was seated in his chair and at-  
tempted to rise. He fell over and  
was picked up unconscious. Physi-  
cians were summoned and made him  
comfortable as possible, and this af-  
ternoon he is reported resting easier.

Cannot Survive Week.

The condition of Mr. George  
Phillips this afternoon is reported  
about the same. He is still uncon-  
scious and death is expected hourly,  
his physicians stating he cannot sur-  
vive the week.

SENATOR COX IS HONORED.

Appointed Delegate to National  
League of Republican Clubs.

Maysville, Ky., May 16.—State  
Senator W. H. Cox this morning re-  
ceived notice of his appointment as a  
delegate to the national republican  
league, which meets at Philadelphia  
on June 17.

Shoes for 'Frisco.

Boston, May 16.—The work of  
loading eight freight cars to convey  
a special shipment of 50,000 pairs of  
shoes, contributed by the Massachu-  
setts relief committee to the San  
Francisco sufferers, commenced yester-  
day.

Sea Level Canal.

Washington, May 16.—The sen-  
ate canal committee by a vote of six  
to one, reported in favor of a sea level  
canal.

## Shortage of Cinder Supply Stops Work on Sidewalks.

City Engineer L. A. Washington  
stated that work on pavements on  
Kentucky avenue and Jefferson street  
will begin Monday and be pushed  
until the material is used up. The  
work can not progress far as the con-  
tractors have not enough cinders to  
work with. Thomas Bridges' Sons, the  
subcontractors doing the paving, have  
been unable to procure enough cin-  
ders. The railroad was appealed to in  
vain. The Illinois Central is furnish-  
ing cinders to contractors to finish

The circulation of The Sun  
for the month of April was  
4,018, a day average.  
Business instinct tells you  
that it is the paper that  
tells its circulation daily that  
merits your confidence.

RUN DOWN BY WIFE IN AN AUTO

Virginian Badly Hurt When Woman  
Accidentally Opens Throttle.

Richmond, Va., May 16.—D. B.  
Tennant, of Oaklands, a man well  
known throughout Virginia, was hurt  
seriously today in an automobile ac-  
cident near his home, his wife run-  
ning him down.

Full Acceptance.

Constantinople, May 16.—The  
Turkish government in reply to Am-  
bassador O'Connor's last communica-  
tion objecting to the terms of the  
previous Turkish note, has notified  
the ambassador of its full acceptance  
of the British demands.

## TRAMPS AND OIL

INTEREST FARMERS IN WRECK  
ON I. C. AT HEATH YES-  
TERDAY.

Search for Bodies and Fill Barrels  
With Wasted Illuminant—All  
Work together.

A report to the effect that three  
trampmen were killed in the freight  
Central yesterday, is interesting  
farmers in that vicinity and this  
morning at Heath, Ky., on the Illinois  
morning searchers began tearing into  
the debris of the thirteen wrecked  
cars to find the bodies if there.

The railroad company received no  
reports of any one killed and the de-  
bris of the wreck was shoved aside  
on the right of way to clear the track.  
The shattered remains of the cars re-  
main as left by the company and it  
is hard work tearing them up.  
Farmers have been busy all day  
searching for the bodies, but at last  
reports had been unsuccessful in  
finding anything that resembled a  
body.

The bursting of the oil tank en-  
abled farmers to secure coal oil free,  
and one farmer is said to have se-  
cured 137 gallons. He had several  
barrels hauled to the scene and  
placed his can under the tank to  
secure oil. They worked it together  
one farmer filling his can and mak-  
ing way for the next, each taking  
turn about.

## GENERAL ASSEMBLY

PRESBYTERIANS MEET AT DES  
MOINES, IOWA, TODAY.

Question of Amalgamation With  
Cumberland Branch Will  
Be Settled.

Des Moines, Iowa, May 16.—With  
delegates present from every part of  
the globe, the hundred and seven-  
teenth general assembly of the Pres-  
byterian church opened this morning.  
The sessions continue for ten days  
will deal with a number of questions  
of vital importance to Presbyterians  
of the United States. One of the most  
important subjects will be the amal-  
gamation with the Cumberland  
branch of the church.

REPORTED FIGHT.

Between Wickliffe and Pursuing  
Posse Not Credited.

Vinita, I. T., May 16.—A fight is  
reported to have taken place between  
the three Wickliffe Indian outlaws  
and a posse of deputy sheriffs, who  
have been searching for them since  
March 11, but it is not credited by  
the authorities here. The Wickliffes  
are brothers and are wanted for  
shooting Deputy Marshal Ike Gilk-  
strap in a desperate fight near the  
town of Kansas, I. T.

## OPEN COUNCIL OF EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Holy Communion is Celebrated  
by the Bishop.

First Day's Session Concludes With  
Ride Over Lines of Paducah  
Light and Power Co.

CONFIRMATION LAST NIGHT

The first day's session of the Di-  
ocesan Council of the Episcopal  
church of Kentucky, opened with the  
celebration of Holy Communion by  
Right Reverend Charles E. Wood-  
cock, bishop of the diocese, assisted  
by Rev. David C. Wright, of Grace  
church, Paducah, and several of the  
visiting ministers. After this solemn  
service, the council organized for  
business with Bishop Woodcock in  
the chair, and John J. Saunders, of  
Louisville, as secretary of the coun-  
cil.

The chief business of the morning  
was the hearing of the reports of the  
various parishes or he diocese and  
transaction of routine business. The  
reports of the churches gave an en-  
couraging outlook on the general  
work. The council adjourned at  
12:30 for the noon recess and con-  
vened at 2:30 p. m. with the reports  
from the churches still under consid-  
eration.

At 4:30 o'clock the council ad-  
journing for the afternoon and were  
the guests of General Manager John  
S. Blecker, of the Paducah Traction  
company, in a ride over the com-  
pany's lines in the city. Mr. Blecker  
courteously placed one of his newest  
and finest cars at the council's ser-  
vice and it will have "right of way"  
over the city. Mr. Blecker person-  
ally will conduct the party. It will not  
only be a pleasant ride but will en-  
able the council members, many of  
whom are prominent business men  
from Louisville and other cities to  
judge something of the size, growth  
and outlook of Paducah.

The features of this evening's ses-  
sion will be a stereoscopic lecture on  
"Kentucky Types and Work of the  
Church Among Them," delivered by  
Rev. William H. Falkner, rector of  
St. Paul's church, Louisville, and  
other speakers.

After the lecture an informal  
reception will be given in the Parish  
House by the members of Grace  
church. This will be a very deligh-  
tful social occasion and all guests and  
friends are invited.

Class Confirmed.

The first service of the seven-  
ty-eighth council of the Kentucky  
Diocese, was held last night at  
Grace Episcopal church, where the  
council will convene today for its  
two days' sessions. A large crowd  
was present. The majority of the  
members of the council arrived last  
evening at 6 o'clock, the Louisville  
delegation being especially strong,  
and occupying a private coach.

It is a distinguished body of men.  
A number of them are accompanied  
by their wives. They were met at the  
station by the Rev. David C. Wright,  
the council host, the vestry of  
Grace church and many of the mem-  
bers who are entertaining guests.

The opening sermon last night was  
preached by the Rev. William K.  
Marshall, rector of Christ church,  
Bowling Green, Ky. It was an ear-  
nest and thoughtful discourse, and  
was heard with interest.

At the close of the sermon Bishop  
Woodcock administered the rite of  
confirmation to a class from Grace  
church of eleven persons. Bishop  
Woodcock's address to the class was  
given in his usual masterly and im-  
pressive manner, and was direct, for-  
cible, practical and clear-cut as Bishop  
Woodcock always is. He is a mas-  
ter of the epigrammatic style of  
preaching.

SEA LEVEL CANAL.

Will Be Adopted in Report of Senate  
Committee Today.

Washington, May 16.—Final vote  
on the question as to the type of  
canal to be constructed at Panama  
will be taken this afternoon by the  
senate canal committee. It is ex-  
pected that the committee will vote  
on the sea level plan.

POLES

Brought by Carload to Take Places  
of Strikers.

Wellston, O., May 16.—Four car-  
loads of Poles arrived this morning  
to take the place of strikers at the  
Alma Cement works. This is the first  
time foreigners have been brought to  
Jackson county to take the places  
of strikers. Trouble is expected.

Old Cars.

Columbus, O., May 16.—The  
Pennsylvania railroad is burning up  
10,000 old freight cars west of  
Pittsburg, which have passed their  
useful days and became out of date.

## METHODIST CREED CHANGED IN FORM

Substance of Articles of Faith  
Remain as Acknowledged.

Several Branches Hold Same Belief,  
Expressed Various, and This  
Fact Works Hindrance.

MANY WIDELY VARYING VIEWS

Probably no general conference of  
the Methodist church in many years  
has caused the amount of comment  
in regard to its actions, as the one  
now in session at Birmingham, Ala.  
Yesterday's news dispatches an-  
nounced that the conference had  
passed a resolution advising the ap-  
pointment of a commission of lay-  
men and preachers, to meet with a  
similar commission from the differ-  
ent Methodist bodies to revise the  
articles of faith in accordance with  
modern thought. In Paducah, the  
face of the statement, it appeared  
ripple of protest and even uneasiness  
that must have been experienced by  
Methodists everywhere; for on the  
face of the statement, it appeared  
that the conference proposed to  
change the creed of the church to  
suit present conditions, whatever  
they might be.

Today every local resource of in-  
formation was exhausted to throw  
some light on the action of the con-  
ference, realizing the vital interest  
of the matter to not only the mem-  
bers of the church, but to the pub-  
lic generally.

Mr. B. H. Scott, chairman of the  
board of stewards of the Broadway  
Methodist church, who attended the  
conference, elucidated the matter, in  
substance, as follows:

"First, that if there was any ob-  
jection to the proposed action, it  
could arise only from a misunder-  
standing of the purpose of the con-  
ference. The situation may be stated  
as being one which requires not a  
change in the substance but in the  
form of Methodist belief. It must  
be remembered that while all the dif-  
ferent Methodist bodies hold prac-  
tically the same articles of faith  
these articles are expressed in differ-  
ent ways by the various churches.  
What is proposed to be done is to  
have a commission from each of  
these different bodies meet in a gen-  
eral commission and rewrite the  
heterogeneous expressions of the  
same faith to a uniform expression  
of faith, so, that Methodism, where-  
ever found and in whatever church,  
will present a uniform faith. As it  
is, missionaries from the Methodist  
Church, South, and the British Wes-  
leyan Methodist church, while pre-  
sented in substance the same faith  
to foreign nations, in the form of  
expression they are different.

"Truth is eternal, if the articles  
of faith of the Methodist church  
were true when written, they are  
true today and will be true forever.  
It is just that belief that has caused  
the uneasiness, yet nothing could  
have been farther from the idea of  
the conference than to give the im-  
pression that the fundamental prin-  
ciples of Methodism would be  
changed. There are certain changes  
in the meaning of words and phrases  
which today make language written  
over a hundred years ago, inaccurate.  
It is proposed to express in  
modern language the same thought  
that was expressed by Mr. Wesley  
years ago. The same action pro-  
posed now was in fact taken by Mr.  
Wesley when he re-wrote the  
Methodist articles of faith. Another  
instance similar in purpose is the  
completion lately of a uniform hymn  
book for the Methodist churches.

"The different bodies whom it is  
desired to take part in this move-  
ment, are, the Methodist Episcopal  
Church South, the Northern Meth-  
odist church, the Methodist church  
of Canada, and the British Wesleyan  
church. It may take as long as  
twelve years to accomplish the re-  
form. Each of the different church-  
es must agree and appoint a com-  
mission. After the commission com-  
pletes its work it must be referred  
to the general conference of each  
body for ratification, then to every  
conference in the general conference.  
So that it will be years before it  
could be accomplished. The next  
general conference meets in 1910."

Varying Opinions.

The Rev. W. W. Armstrong, pas-  
tor of the Trimble Street Methodist  
church, expressed himself as favor-  
ing the action of the conference. The  
Rev. J. W. Blackard, presiding elder  
of the Paducah district, does not be-  
lieve the action will be ratified when  
it is finally voted on, and sees no ne-  
cessity for any revision. The Rev. P.  
H. Fields, pastor of the Third Street  
Methodist church, does not believe  
any improvement will result from a  
revision or re-statement of the ar-  
ticles of faith.

From the expressed opinions of  
both laymen and preachers it is evi-  
dent that the proposition will be  
warmly discussed. The conference is  
hedged about by rigid rules which

would make it impossible to do any-  
thing radical without serious and  
prolonged consideration.

FREE SEEDS.

Will Be Ratified By United States  
Senate.

Washington, May 16.—The sen-  
ate agricultural committee is being  
besieged with requests from seed  
merchants to eliminate from the  
agricultural appropriation bill the  
free seed distribution clause, but the  
indications are that the action of  
the house will be confirmed in the  
senate.

WAS SLAIN BY A POSSE.

Crazed Telegraph Operator Who  
Went on Rampage Killed.

Chattanooga, Tenn., May 16.—  
A special from Atlanta, Ga., to the  
News says J. H. Clark, the crazed  
telegraph operator, was shot and killed  
by a posse of men at 1:02 p. m.,  
one-half mile from Chance. No one  
else was hurt.

## BEN'S DEVOTION

RESPONSIBLE FOR HIS ARREST  
AFTER BALL GAME YES-  
TERDAY.

Couldn't Stand to See Paducah Lose  
to Vincennes, and He Railed  
Against Lloyd's Indians.

Ben Boyd's devotion to the nation-  
al game has caused his downfall.  
Ben is in court again, and all on ac-  
count of the way he took Paducah's  
initial defeat at the hands of the  
Vincennes Hoosiers.

Boyd is the manager of the color-  
ed baseball team, and is a rooter  
in the strictest sense of the word. His  
high pitched voice has served as a  
warning to players more than once  
and in recognition of his services he  
was given an annual pass.

Ben could not stand to see the In-  
dians lose Saturday and his remarks  
about the Paducah boys were any-  
thing but complimentary. It is said  
Manager Lloyd reprimanded Boyd  
and it is alleged that Boyd made  
threats against the manager.

Boyd's pass was taken from him  
and a warrant was sworn out in  
Justice Emery's court. Boyd will  
stand trial tomorrow morning on the  
peace warrant.

Luke Wright Arrives.

Tokio, May 16.—Luke E. Wright,  
the American ambassador, has ar-  
rived in Tokio.

## MORE OUTRAGES

CHINESE KILL MISSIONARIES IN  
ANHUI PROVINCE.

Victims French Catholics and Native  
Converts, According to Official  
Report.

Peking, May 16.—Another brutal  
murder of Christians in Anhui prov-  
ince is reported. The victims are  
said to have been French Catholic  
missionaries and native converts.  
The massacre is said to have occurred  
Saturday. The French officials in-  
vestigated and made a report to the  
board of foreign affairs. Chinese au-  
thorities offer no information.

Suspension for Crapsey.

Rochester, N. Y., May 16.—The  
verdict in the trial of Rev. Dr. Alger-  
non S. Crapsey today was delivered  
to the accused minister. Four of the  
jurors state that in their opinion  
sentence should be passed as follows:  
"That the respondent should be sus-  
pended from exercising the functions  
of the church until such time as he  
shall satisfy the authorities of the  
diocese that his belief and teaching  
conform to the doctrines of the Apo-  
stle's Creed and the Nicene creed as  
this church hath received the same."

## DISSOLVE DOUMA SAY BUREAUCRATS

The Czar Undetermined What  
Course He Will Pursue.

Advised That if Autocracy is to Be  
Preserved Fight Must Be  
Instituted At Once.

ADDRESS TO THRONE IS READY

St. Petersburg, May 16.—Strong  
reactionary influence is being  
brought upon the czar to dissolve the  
Duma for drawing up a reply to  
the speech from the throne in a  
manner which the bureaucrats con-  
sider grossly insulting to his majes-  
ty. The practical unanimous advice  
of the bureaucrats to the czar is that  
if the autocracy is to be preserved  
the fight with Duma must begin  
immediately. The czar is undeterm-  
ined what to do.

St. Petersburg, May 16.—The draft  
of the address to the throne, in reply  
to the emperor's speech at the open-  
ing of parliament, was submitted to  
the lower house of parliament today  
by the commission. It consists prac-  
tically of the following demands:

General amnesty; the abolition of  
the death penalty; the suspension of  
martial law and all exceptional laws;  
full civil liberty; the abolition of the  
council of the empire; the revision  
of the fundamental law; the estab-  
lishment of the responsibility of min-  
isters; the right of interpellation;  
forced expression of land; guarantees  
of the rights of trades unions.

Killed By Lightning.

Fl. Worth, Tex., May 16.—Mrs.  
Simpson Dunn was killed by light-  
ning in her home last evening. Her  
child in her lap, her husband and  
mother, sitting near, were uninjured.

## NOT CONVINCING

IS EVIDENCE PRODUCED AGAINST  
MR. KEY BY OPONENT.

Postoffice Department Considers All  
Charges of Mr. Happy and Dis-  
misses Them.

Washington, May 16.—Happy has  
lost his fight. Key will be postmas-  
ter of Mayfield. The postoffice de-  
partment has examined all the papers  
left by Happy and decided against  
him. It is authoritatively stated that  
his array of evidence against Mr. Key  
consists largely of what Mr. Happy  
has heard from others and not what  
he himself knew. The department  
does not consider it as being at all  
convincing.

This is exactly what local political  
leaders predicted in an interview in  
The Sun two days ago.

Revenue Service Steamer.

Washington, May 16.—Secretary  
Shaw today submitted to the house  
an estimate for an appropriation for  
\$225,000 for the construction of a  
steamer for the revenue service to be  
used for the removal of derelicts and  
other floating dangers of navigation.  
The secretary says it is desirable to  
commence work on the vessel at once.

WEEKLY TOBACCO REPORT.

(Corrected By L. A. Graham & Co.)

Offerings on our market today,  
120 hogheads composed mostly of  
French kinds. The market showed a  
better feeling on all grades and es-  
pecially was this feeling on French  
kinds.

Lugs ..... 4 1/2 @ 5 1/2  
Com. leaf ..... \$5.80 @ 6 1/4  
Med. leaf ..... 6 1/2 @ 8  
Good leaf ..... 8 @ 9  
Fine or selections, none offered.

## Engineers Must Look Out For Stray Stock on the Track.

It seems that Paducah and Mc-  
Cracken county are not alone in the  
"cow situation," and from all indi-  
cations a stock law would not go  
amiss in many other sections of the  
country as can be seen by a bulletin  
sent out of Fulton to engineers on  
the Illinois Central road. Any way  
it will show that engineers have some  
thing to think about other than their  
next stopping place and the smooth  
running of their charges. The bul-  
letin reads: "Three cows one mile  
north of Fulton, three hogs south of  
depot of Water Valley, three cows be-  
tween depot and south switch at  
Wingo, one calf between depot and  
south switch at Pryors, one cow one  
mile north of Pryors, one horse tied  
to telegraph pole half mile south of  
Mayfield, one cow between depot and  
south switch at Hickory, four hogs  
south and three north of depot at  
Boaz, and two cows at south switch  
south of Paducah yard." The bulle-  
tin is sent out for the purpose of  
warning engineers to look out for  
loose stock. Engines are derailed  
and trains wrecked by stock some-  
times, and when cows or horses are  
killed by trains it generally means  
the road will have to pay double the  
value of the stock killed or stand  
cost of court litigation.